

English

Focus:

WRITING: In writing narratives, we will focus on dialogue and how this can advance the action of the story and build suspense, as well as give detail about the characters. We will incorporate and narration.

READING: We will be focus on aspects of the SATs children will take. These sessions will explore a range questions linked to key reading skills and strategies to tackle them.

SPELLINGS: Thank you for your continued support with reading and spellings at home, it really does make a difference.

Please go through any tests that come home with your child.

Geography

Where does our energy come from? (renewable and non-renewable sources)

We will continue to study a range of energy sources, where they come from and their impact on society, the economy and the environment.

Maths

Focus:

Fractions, decimals & percentages. Pupils will build on their knowledge of key facts; finding equivalents; ordering fractions, decimals and percentages, and calculating percentages of amounts.

Area, perimeter & volume. Pupils will revise basic area and perimeter, before learning to find the area of a range of shapes, including complex shapes and then the method to calculate the volume of a cuboid.

Statistics. This unit will focus on reading and interpreting a variety of types of graphs.

Pupils will have further opportunities to develop their reasoning and problem-solving skills.

In addition to this, children will be revising previously taught maths topics and arithmetic skills in preparation for SATS.

RE

Eucharist – Relating

Focus: Unity

We will focus on how the Eucharist enables people to live in communion, learning about the Communion rite and how Holy Communion allows us to be in union with Jesus Christ and one another.

Lent/Easter – Giving

Focus: Death & New Life

We will focus on Lent and Holy Week and reflect on the celebration of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus bringing new life.



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Computing

e-Safety – We will be continuing to focus on how to be safe on the internet and e-Safety within communication and collaboration.

We will also be incorporating our computing work with our RE topic, carrying out research and using technology to record audio and video.

Art

Painting and mixed media

This unit focuses on:

understanding narratives and descriptive language in art, exploring meanings behind paintings, developing personal interpretations and abstract art pieces based on selected artists.

Science

Focus: Energy: Circuits, batteries and switches
Revisiting electrical circuits, children learn to draw conventional circuit diagrams and use models to explain current, resistance and voltage. They compare different batteries and relate this to the effects on bulb brightness. Pupils apply their knowledge of switches and electrical circuits to design and produce their own practical devices.

Focus: Animals: Circulation and health

This unit explores the heart and circulatory system through models and enquiries and considering how lifestyle choices affect our health.

PSHE

Focus: Relaxation and Worry

As we approach the SATS, children are working extra hard. In our PSHE sessions we will continue to focus on our mental health by looking at strategies to help cope with any stresses and developing relaxation techniques.

PE

Focus: Variety of team games

The pupils will continue to develop key skills of throwing, catching, running, spatial awareness, hand-eye awareness, coordination and teamwork. They will think about the importance of physical activity for a healthy lifestyle.